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## NOTICE OF APPEAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 41.31(a)(1)

In response to the Final Office Action mailed April 28, 2008 and by this notice, Applicant appeals from the decision of the examiner to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences. This notice of appeal is accompanied by the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 41.31(a)(1) and is being filed within the time period provided under 37 C.F.R. § 1.134 for reply.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees required with this submission to Deposit Account No. 50-4370.

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